

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS.

Most of the public free schools in the county were opened on Monday.

The farmers are now busy cutting up their corn. The crop is fine one.

The best 5 cent cigar at—
FOSTER & WINGO.

Messrs. Chapman & Gillespie are at Welch, West Va., attending court.

The first shipment of export cattle was made from this place on Monday by Messrs. Crockett & Moss.

Messrs. T. H. Wickham, of Virginia City, and W. J. Newenham, of Pocahontas, were in town on Wednesday.

The big candle puzzle at Tazewell Drug Company's store awaits your solution. Have you made a guess?

The carpenters are now at work shaping up the timbers that will be used in building the addition to the court house.

Rev. W. D. Buckner will preach at Stras Memorial Episcopal church next Sunday, both morning and evening.

That candle in the window of the Tazewell Drug Co. is burning every night. Have you made a guess about how long it will burn?

Miss Emma Greener, of Burke Garden, left Tuesday afternoon for Charlotte, N. C., where she will enter as a pupil of Elizabeth College.

Miss Mag Litz is now receiving a nice stock of Fall and Winter millinery which has been purchased with her usual good taste and judgment.

A nice lot of Men's and Ladies' saddles on hand.
W. L. DRAVER.

Mr. G. H. Landon, Jr., left for Richmond yesterday afternoon. He will matriculate at Virginia Medical College as a student in pharmacy.

The Hon. Jacob Yost will speak at Pocahontas next Wednesday night, the 21st inst. We bespeak for him a fine audience as he is a fine speaker.

P. W. Poff, the artistic photographer, will be here until the last day of September, positively no longer.

We are glad to announce that the condition of Mr. C. T. Patton is very satisfactory at this writing. We hope he will recover as rapidly as possible.

Mr. D. C. Gillespie left today for the University of Virginia where he will continue to pursue his studies in the academic department of that institution.

I have a brand new Wheeler & Wilson drop head sewing machine for sale, or will trade for a good milch cow.
W. L. DRAVER.

Dr. J. R. Gildersleeve, who has been spending the summer at Montgomery White Sulphur Springs as resident physician, got back home on Saturday.

Evangelist Wiley Smith struck his gospel tent on Monday and left our community. We do not think, from reports, he accomplished much by his work here.

Special reduction on tea-sets for thirty days.
School stationery at—
FOSTER & WINGO'S.

We are requested to give notice that Rev. M. W. Doggett will preach at White church, in Thompson's Valley, on Sunday, September 18th, at 11 a. m., and 8 p. m.

Mrs. Geo. A. Martin and her daughter, Miss Theresa, who have been visiting Mr. Geo. A. Martin, Jr., at his home two miles east of town, left for their home at Norfolk today.

Read and don't forget on the first day of October I go to Bluefield to take charge of my gallery there. From now until the last day of September Cabinet Photographs \$2.50 per dozen.
Yours to please,
P. W. Poff.

Next Tuesday the September term of the county court will begin. We expect there will be a large crowd in town that day, drawn by the political meetings that are to be held.

Sam Bowen, the youngest son of Mr. R. T. Bowen, of the Cove, left last Saturday for Hampden-Sydney College, where he will pursue his studies as a student for the ensuing scholastic year.

J. B. Hankins & Co., have a good many articles in hardware and glassware which they intend to close out at bottom prices to make more room for their Fall stock. Call early and get the benefit of the bottom prices.

Miss Etta Hankins has returned from the markets where she went to purchase the fall stock for the Tazewell Millinery Co. The new goods are now being received and are pronounced very handsome.

The organ factory has been delayed in shipping the new organ ordered by the Methodist congregation at this place. As soon as the instrument arrives the recital, which is now being prepared, will be given.

Miss Maude McGuire, of Cedar Bluff, is visiting her friend, Miss Maggie Gillespie. Miss Maude is one of Cedar Bluff's most charming young ladies and has many friends in our town who are glad to see her again.

The town council ought to do something for the improvement of Mechanics Avenue. From the new Christian church to the branch the street is in a dreadful condition. There ought to be a bridge across the branch.

All parties indebted to us are requested to come forward at once and settle up as we need money to run our business and can't run it without money.
FOSTER & WINGO.

Sergeant H. James Kelly, of the 3rd Regiment Tennessee Volunteers, is at his father's home, about four miles east of town. He is off on a thirty days furlough and will return to his camp in Alabama as soon as his furlough has expired. Jim has a great many friends in Tazewell who are always ready to welcome him home.

AT OUR STORE

You suit yourself in style. We guarantee the quality, and the price takes care of itself.

HARRISON & GILLESPIE BROS.

Read our ad in this paper and every other issue of this paper.

"For Coughs

I regard Ayer's Cherry Pectoral as superior to any cold or cough medicine made. I have used it for years and am never without a bottle in the house."
J. T. COOKE, Publisher,
Waynesboro, Va.

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral
HALF-SIZE BOTTLES, SOC.

Our Jeweler H. W. Poff says his repairing has been increasing for some time. Why should it not as he guarantees all his work, and if anything is brought back to him and he finds it is any fault of his he gladly does it gratis.

Miss Kate H. Russell, who had been visiting Mrs. H. C. Alderson for several weeks, left last Thursday for her home at Farmville, Va. Miss Russell is a very cultured and charming lady and has a number of friends in Tazewell.

We expect a nice line of glassware the last of this week. Call and see it.
FOSTER & WINGO.

Miss Julia Robinson, of Graham's Forge, Wythe county, Va., who had been visiting her friend Miss Narcissa Pendleton, left last Saturday for her home. Miss Robinson is a very attractive young lady and made many pleasant acquaintances while in Tazewell.

The cupola on the court house is now being torn off and in a few hours that ugly and dangerous part of the building will be seen no more. The roof, front and other external parts of the building when changed according to the plans of the architect, will be very handsome.

Mr. J. B. Hankins, of the firm of J. B. Hankins & Co., will leave the first of the week for the eastern markets, where he will purchase a complete stock of Fall and Winter goods which will be put upon the market at the extraordinary low prices that the firm has been giving its customers.

The Quaker medicine men, who had been giving free entertainments and selling their remedies here for about ten days, left on Sunday afternoon. They didn't do any big business. The people were willing to listen to their ministrations but did not seem disposed to buy their medicines.

Mr. J. D. Alexander, one of Tazewell's oldest and most accomplished merchants, placed an attractive advertisement in the REPUBLICAN this week. He has received and is still receiving one of the handsomest stocks of Fall and Winter goods ever brought to the town. Mr. Alexander buys his goods with excellent taste and judgment, and knows how to suit the trade.

On last Saturday G. G. Henninger, P. R. Catron, J. E. Catron, Marco Groe-cloze, Beavers, and J. D. Cox private in Company "B" Third Regiment Virginia Volunteers arrived at Tazewell. They had been furloughed along with the balance of the regiment for thirty days. These young men lived in Thompson Valley and seemed to be glad to press Tazewell soil again.

School Books by the wholesale and anything in the school line. Merchants should get our prices.
JNO. E. JACKSON,
The Druggist.

Alma Cox, a young man who was a private in Company "B" Third Virginia Regiment of Volunteers, arrived at Tazewell last Thursday a very sick man. He had been ill with the fever at Camp Alger and was permitted to come home. He is now sick at his mother's home, but he is getting better and is likely to recover, unless there should be an unexpected change in his condition. Dr. Crockett is attending him.

On yesterday Henry Murphy, a worthy colored man of this town, received a letter from the U. S. recruiting office at Richmond informing him that his son, Samuel Murphy, had died the latter part of August while en route from Cuba to the United States. The young man was a private in Company "B" 24th U. S. Infantry, and had been with Shafter's army at Santiago. The cause of his death was fever and he was buried at sea.

Mr. T. C. Bowen has located at Tazewell to practice the profession of law. Mr. Bowen graduated in law with distinction at Washington Lee University in the class of 1897. He was then only twenty years old, and had to wait until this year, when he was twenty one, to be examined by the Supreme Court of Appeals for license to practice. He was one of the few who passed successfully the rigid examination made by the court at Wytheville.

For Sale—One piano and one organ at 25 per cent. less than can be bought elsewhere. For further information, address Box 748, Roanoke, Va. 7-14-2m

Your Wife Is a Jewel,

and your home is her setting, which you wish bettering her. Are you thinking of that home burning up? The next day after his house burns up is the time the uninsured man is sorry. Then he does a whole lot of thinking, but the thinking is being done too late. A few dollars spent today for an insurance policy may bring in a whole lot of dollars tomorrow. No insurance is too good. Only one kind is good enough. That is the kind you can get of me. My companies are solid and prompt.

J. F. HURT.

Resolved,

That we, one and all, buy our

School Books

For this term at

DODD & CO'S STORE.

Because their manager, Mr. Dodd, knows more about books and is better posted on prices than any one in this section. Therefore Messrs. Dodd & Co. can and will give the closest prices on School Books and School Supplies obtainable anywhere. You can buy their books at publishers' prices.

Going!

Once! Twice!!
Three Times and Sold!!!

For 25 cents—7 Soda Water Tickets at the Tazewell Drug Store good for seven glasses of ICE CREAM SODA, PINE APPLE SNOW, RED ORANGE SHERBET, COLD WAVE CHOCOLATE, SICILY LEMON PHOSPHATE, or any other kind of iced soda drink, good as it can be made, pure, fresh, sweet and cold.

A Beautiful Parlor Lamp Free

Will be given the purchaser who guesses nearest the exact hour that the huge candle in our window burns out, and

Each Contestant

Will be allowed a guess for each and every purchase of 7 tickets for 25c. The lamp is a beautiful one. Dresden globe and base finished in burnished brass. On exhibition in our window.

Yours for a lively closing of the soda water season,

Tazewell Drug Co.

F. P. LANDON, PH. G.,
He fills the Prescriptions.

Do You Know a Good Thing When You See It?

Then look at the Prices on Our Goods.

Until October 1st, one of the largest stocks of General Merchandise in the County to go at cost. An unequalled opportunity to buy the best goods at the smallest outlay of money. We are going to move and want to take as few goods as possible with us. Come and get prices.

PEERY & HAYNES.

J. D. Alexander

has just recently returned from the Eastern markets, where he purchased and has now open for inspection, the handsomest and most stylish stock of merchandise he has ever shown—embracing all the new and stylish products in

Dress Goods, Waist and Trimming Silks

in great variety of Styles and Prices, the New Corduroy Suitings (all the rage now), Handsome French Broad Cloths and Coverts, so stylish for Tailor-Made Suits.

The Largest Stock of

Ladies' Wraps,

(Jackets and Capes) ever shown in our town—ranging in price from 50 cents to \$15.00. Come and look over them and get your pick while stock is full.

Full Line Ziegler's Shoes

The Best Made.

Sept. 15, 1898.

AT THE CIRCUS.

The Brave Lady in the Lion's Den Had a More Fearsome Thing to Meet.

In front of the cage the crowd sweltered and surged. The throng extended back to the other side of the tent. Morbid curiosity had caused the concourse. A woman was to enter the lion's den and show her power over the great, yellow, massive-headed beasts.

It was hot, and once a girl was carried out of the crowd fainting. The sun beat down upon the tent roof so strong that the canvas crinkled and above the heads of the people the air quivered as you have seen it quiver over a hot stove.

Up and down and back and forth behind the bars of iron the lions stalked. Now and then they would stop an instant at the grating and gaze out into the faces before them, faces upon which were the look of expectancy, almost painful. Then the beasts would shake their heads and resume their march up and down the cage.

Away off in a corner of the great tent a blaring band burst forth in a patriotic air. There was a clatter at the back of the cage. A door was opened from the outside and a chair thrust through. Then, suddenly, before anyone knew what had happened, there stood in the midst of that troop of lions, a woman, tiny and bespangled, who bowed and smiled at the crowd and coquettishly waved a slender riding whip.

The beasts ceased their march. The little woman placed the chair in the center of the cage and with a shrill cry of command drove the largest lion over to it. He rose on his hind feet and placed his fore on the same, facing the first. The woman, at that, threw her arms around the shaggy necks and kissed the cold upturned noses of the animals.

The crowd applauded and whistled and various men cried "Bravo!" and ladies waved their handkerchiefs and fans.

The little woman in the cage bowed and smiled and patted the head of the largest of her pets.

The performance went on. The lions tumbled and rolled and roared and waited at that woman's command. They played around her like children.

Suddenly the band ceased its blare. The great feature of the entertainment was about to be offered. The woman was to put her head in Leo's mouth.

The sullen beast opened wide his jaws. Throwing her arms around his neck the woman placed her head face downward in that mouth, and smiled. Then she withdrew it. The band played and in an instant the amazed crowd began an applaud that caused the tent poles to waver.

Suddenly the woman turned pale. The throng gazed spellbound. She placed her hand on her heart and reeled an instant. Then with a frightened cry, a cry that pierced every heart in the tent, she sprang upon the chair. The lions crouched in a further corner of the cage.

"They're going to attack her!" some one shouted, "and she knows it! Help! Help!" The woman's terror was horrible. A mouse had scamped across the floor of the cage; that was all—Detroit Free Press.

FASHION FANCIES.

Some of the Small Details of Seasonable Costumes for the Ladies.

Large shell combs are pretty for evening wear.

Small ostrich tips are much worn in the hair with evening toilets.

Mauve and red form one of the fashionable combinations of color.

Military braid is used extensively for the trimming of cloth gowns.

Ribbons are no longer considered at all appropriate decorations for the hair.

With street costume the hair is generally worn high, with many curls and puffs.

The pompadour is now the most fashionable style of arrangement for the hair.

Jeweled ornaments are worn in the hair, even when one is dressed in street costume.

A few soft curls worn on the neck are liked by some women with low-necked bodices.

Pretty neckties to wear with pique gowns are made of white lace silk trimmed with plaid or spotted silk.

On This Bed Comfort is a Certainty.

What's the use of taking chances for comfort while sleeping? You can be absolutely certain of it if you use an iron bed. They have no slats to get out of place and let you fall on the floor; they make no fuss about it if you turn over as many times as you like; they are easily cleaned; an insect will not live on one; you can have a new bed as often as you will enamel it; it will last forever. A goldbug is the only member of the bug family that can enjoy a stay on an iron bed. He isn't satisfied if he doesn't spend at least seven out of each twenty-four hours on one. We know another member of the bug family, called "Bed" for short, that won't have a thing to do with an iron bed, because he objects to them on the ground that they have no cracks, and are everlastingly filled with an Arctic temperature. We would like to talk iron beds to our customers. We sell them, any style. Prices are exactly low enough.

MOSS & GREEVER.

The Stricken and Helpless Hulls of the Cristobal Colon and Her Sister Ships

are a striking testimony of the effect of the JARS of American shot when directed by the American hand and eye. So, too, the freshness and flavor of fruits preserved in the MASON JAR are an equally striking witness of its merit. If you need any call and ascertain our prices before buying elsewhere.

Tazewell, Va.

Grocers.

A. GOODMAN,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN

Foreign and Domestic Liquors and Wines.

Pabst Milwaukee Beer.

POCAHONTAS, VA.

PRICE LIST.

WHISKIES.

| Whisky | Quart | Gallon |
|-----------------------------|--------|--------|
| Overholt, guaranteed 10 yrs | \$1.50 | \$6.00 |
| Finch's Golden Wedding | 1.25 | 5.00 |
| Gibson's Pure Rye | 1.25 | 5.00 |
| Goodman's (1860) Private | | |
| Stock | 1.15 | 4.50 |
| Belle of Nelson | 1.00 | 4.00 |
| Springdale 1875 Rye | 1.00 | 3.75 |
| Baker's Pure Rye | 1.00 | 3.50 |
| Old Time Kentucky Rye | .80 | 3.20 |
| White Mills Old Bourbon | .75 | 2.70 |
| Old Virginia Glades rye | .75 | 2.50 |
| Old Velding Rye | .75 | 2.50 |
| Honeycomb Pure Kentucky | .60 | 2.20 |
| Bourbon | .60 | 2.20 |
| McBayer Kentucky | .60 | 2.20 |
| Imperial Cabinet | .50 | 2.00 |
| Commercial Rye | 1.00 | 1.50 |
| Duffey's Malt Whisky | .75 | 2.70 |
| White Malt Rye (4 years) | .75 | 2.70 |
| Canada Malt | .75 | 2.70 |
| Old Crow | .75 | 2.70 |

Pure White Rye.....\$1.50 to 2.00
North Carolina Corn.....1.50 to 2.25

IMPORTED AND DOMESTIC BRANDIES

| Brandy | Bottle | Gallon |
|----------------------|--------|--------|
| California Grape | \$1.00 | \$4.00 |
| Distilled Blackberry | 1.25 | 5.00 |

Eighteen Years.

My sojourn with the good people of Tazewell has now been 18 years; and I take this method of thanking my many friends and patrons for past patronage, and solicit a continuance of the same. I will further say that if I have done any work that has not given satisfaction I earnestly request that it be returned to me, and if caused by any fault of mine it will be repaired free of charge.

I do all of my repairing myself.
Very Respectfully,
H. W. Poff, Jeweller,
Tazewell, Va.

VIRGINIA: In the clerk's office of the Circuit Court for Tazewell county, September 15, 1898.

B. B. Greener and J. E. Greener, merchants and partners in trade under the firm name and style of B. B. Greener & Son, complainants.

vs. In Chancery.
William G. Cline, J. W. Chapman, trustee, A. P. Gillespie, guardian of the infant children of J. M. McGuire, deceased, T. E. George, trustee, and Wm. G. Mustard, defendants.

The object of the foregoing suit, is to recover of the defendant, William G. Cline, the sum of \$129.34 with interest on \$80.33, part thereof, from July 27th, 1898, and interest on \$49.01, another part thereof, from February 1st, 1898, and interest on \$12.22, the residue thereof, from September 9th, 1898, and to enforce the lien of the attachment mentioned in said bill by a sale of the land therein mentioned. And it appearing from affidavit on file in said office that W. G. Cline is a non-resident of the Commonwealth of Virginia it is ordered that he appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit, and that copies hereof be posted as prescribed by law.

A copy.
Teste: H. BANE HARMAN, Clerk.
H. C. Alderson, p. q. 9-15-4t

VIRGINIA: In the clerk's office of the Circuit Court for Tazewell county, September 15, 1898.

C. H. Peery, J. D. Peery and J. G. Peery, merchants and partners in trade under the firm name and style of C. H. Peery & Sons, complainants.

vs. In Chancery.
W. G. Cline, J. W. Chapman, trustee, A. P. Gillespie, guardian of the infant children of J. M. McGuire, deceased, T. E. George, trustee, and Wm. G. Mustard, defendants.

The object of the foregoing suit is to recover of the defendant, W. G. Cline, the sum of \$66.81 with legal interest on \$18.32, part thereof, from July 31st, 1898, and on \$18.49, the residue thereof, from September 1st, 1898 until paid, and to enforce the lien of the attachment mentioned in said bill, by a sale of the land therein mentioned. And it appearing from affidavit on file in said office that W. G. Cline is a non-resident of the State of Virginia it is ordered that he appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit, and that copies hereof be posted as prescribed by law.

A copy.
Teste: H. BANE HARMAN, Clerk.
Peery & Higginbotham, p. q. 9-15-4t

All Sorts of School Books.

When in doubt, come here! Not another such a liberal-method school book store in town. It matters not what kind you buy here, be assured that you are getting it for the lowest price. Just now we are entertaining the school children. School supplies are here in superabundance and at prices that are simply marvels of cheapness. See our stock. Get our prices. If you never bought books from a drug store just try it once.

Do you see the point?

JNO. E. JACKSON, Druggist

Tazewell, Va.

VIRGINIA: In the clerk's office of the Circuit Court for Tazewell county, September 12, 1898.

The Davis Sewing Machine Company, a corporation chartered under the laws of the State of Ohio, complainant.

vs. In Chancery Original and Amended Bill.
M. Johnson, Hugh Sparks, R. M. Sparks, J. B. R. R. H. Hankins, W. B. Steele, J. M. McGuire, Patsy Sparks, George Wallace, C. T. Patton, Thos. H. Groseclose, William A. Sparks, Robert Sparks, Susan Harrison, Martha Ashworth, Hugh Sparks, Jr., Mary Sparks, and M. E. Sparks, the last two infants, defendants.

The object of this suit is to enforce the lien of a judgment for the sum of \$200.00 with interest from December 1st, 1895, until paid, and \$20.00 costs, subject to a credit of \$11.86 as of July 21st, 1896, in favor of the complainant company, and subject the lands of the defendants in the bills and proceedings mentioned to sale, to satisfy same. And it appearing from affidavit on file in said office that Susan Harrison is a non-resident of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that she appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect her interest in this suit, and that copies hereof be posted as prescribed by law.

A copy.
Teste: H. BANE HARMAN, Clerk.
V. L. Sexton, p. q. 9-15-4t

VIRGINIA: In the clerk's office of the Circuit Court for Tazewell county, September 15, 1898.

Marshall Peery, complainant.

vs. In Chancery.
W. G. Cline, J. W. Chapman, trustee, A. P. Gillespie, guardian of the infant children of J. M. McGuire, deceased, T. E. George, trustee, William G. Mustard and B. B. Greener, defendants.

The object of the foregoing suit is to recover of the defendant, W. G. Cline, the sum of \$144.95 with interest from Sept. 9, 1898, and to enforce the lien of an attachment for the payment of said bill by the sale of a tract of land known as the Harless Place, containing about 108 acres, and by the sale of the Home Place of W. G. Cline, containing about 220 acres, both tracts lying about five miles northeast of Tazewell, Tazewell county, Virginia. And it appearing from affidavit on file in said office that W. G. Cline is a non-resident of the State of Virginia it is ordered that he appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit, and that copies hereof be posted as prescribed by law.